



IFW

Attorney Docket No. 23166.00

Customer No. 37833

Confirmation No. 4753

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

IN THE PATENT APPLICATION OF:

APPLICANT : **BLAKE SCHRITTER**

APPL. NO. : **10/618,307**

ART UNIT : **3679**

FILED : **July 14, 2003**

EXAMINER : **P. BRINSON**

FOR : **HYDRAULIC PIPE SLEEVE**

MAIL STOP AMENDMENT  
COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS  
P.O. BOX 1450  
ALEXANDRIA, VA 22313-1450

**AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE**

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated May 17, 2004, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks /Arguments** begin on page 3 of this paper.

A current **Associate Power of Attorney** is attached following page 5 of this paper.